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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated August 6, 2003, of the Examiner's rejection of Claims 10, 30, 31, 33, 36, 37 and 39-42.

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